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(Case No. 00-1123-A)

In re Application of:
Cunningham, et al.

Serial No.: 09/929,957

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For: A Label-Free High-Throughput Optical
Technique for Detecting Biomolecular
Interactions

Examiner: J. Snay

Art Unit: 1743

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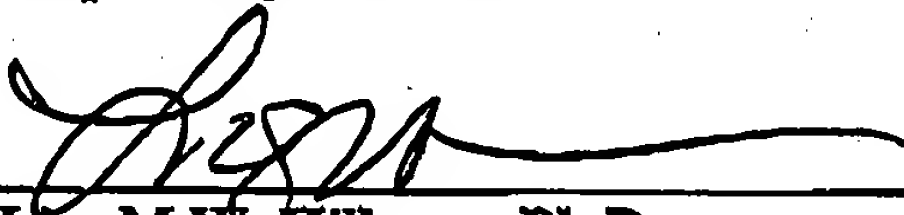
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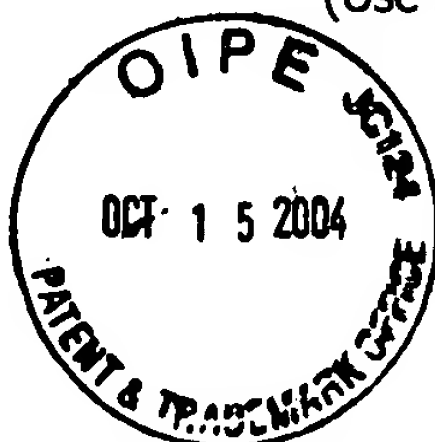
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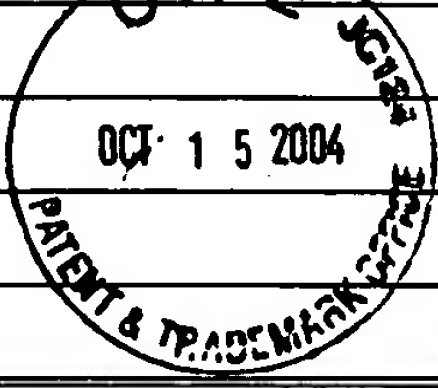
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